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e size of Mexico. Every this week will be found statements on strictly quarantined. in County showing that our financial in-

ulty. Even the girls of R. R. BUCKNER is home from a Bend, Miss Talbott, teacher; pleasuant visit at Excelsior Springs, Clintic, Miss Hagan, teacher.

pur-PERSON CONFINED TO chase the Wabash Railroad which we fited. ITH SMALLPOX. There understand is for sale it would simquarantine but from Mexico to Kansas City. There Mexico Message, editorially says: made rendy to swallow the jararaca, Church during her absence. from quarantine but from Mexico to Kansas City. There aday or so. Some of would be something really doing it pleted its 50th volume last week. The hunt, he may travel, he may see for the Bell Telephone Co. in Paris in trying to make from Mexico to Kansas City and the Colonel acquired both. He may Wilbur Bridgford is now wire-chief hunt, he may travel, he may see for the Bell Telephone Co. in Paris in trying to make from Mexico to Kansas City and the Colonel acquired both. He may been for the Bell Telephone Co. in Paris in trying to make from Mexico to Kansas City and the Colonel acquired both. He may been for the Bell Telephone Co. in Paris in trying to make from Mexico to Kansas City and the Colonel acquired both. He may been for the Bell Telephone Co. in Paris In the Colonel acquired both in the Colonel acquired both. He may been for the Bell Telephone Co. in Paris In the Colonel acquired both in the we that Mexico has been Chicago and Alton could buy the one of the State's greatest and best crasics will cling to him still. sallpox all winter but we Wabash from Mexico to St. Louis. they were intending their
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R. M. WHITE & SON **MEXICO LEDGER**

Audrain County Agricultural Bureau

Headquarters Mexico, Missouri E. W. RUSK, County Farm Commissioner

Among the Boys and Girls.

some time and those stitutions are all conservatively many Mr. Johnson and I visited eight there should be much good schools around Laddonia last week from the work! their various duties. Of the principles in section interest in Boys and Giris'

J. P. Hildebrand, an old flexico boy have had what is called not one has missed a THE New Florence, Mo., Commor and cattle. Among those visited were last week with Mr. Johnson I found Victoria Building in St. Louis, was according to the principles in judging horses the small por scarce call Club is working for a bond issue —Canthorn school. Miss Horsmall. for the purpose of assisting the teach interest in Boys' and Girls'

> Slough, Miss Smith, teacher; Grove, Miss Syler, teacher;

LILLIAN RUSSELL is going in

-Cauthorn school, Miss Hummell, that the interest in the Boys' Corn in Mexico this week shaking hands cathorn school, Miss Hummell, that the interest in the Boys Corn in Mexico this week spacing name of the purpose of improving the town. The business men of New rishter, teacher; West Lick school, Miss Hummell, that the interest in the Boys Corn in Mexico this week spacing name town. The business men of New rishter, teacher; Edwards school, only this, but the girls are anxious Willis Johnson and wife of LaPlats, and the first of the purpose of improving the town. The business men of New rishter, teacher; Edwards school, but the girls are anxious Willis Johnson and wife of LaPlats, and the girls are anxious with the summer Home Economics and Mrs. Ivan Ashworth school, Miss Furber, teacher; Bear School and the Girls Canning Clubs. Me- Economics Schools are established. Mexico since he moved away.

er case Mexico will be largely bene- waits and takes the spoils and victor, Mrs. Louise Gardner is confined to FARM LOANS AT REASONABLE Mr. White, emed contemporary, The After the cobra had vanquished and is acting as organist at the Catholic Rea

> BOONE COUNTY is arraning for a the Ledger in wishing him an ear new fall. What about Audrain, one ly recovery.

MEXICO, AUDRAIN COUNTY, MISSOURI, THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1914

in his new position. The Ledger joins in wishing him success in his new field and congratulating -the

bus been appointed minimater to Ura-guay by President Wilson. H. P. Warden, Mexico, is highy recommended for minister to either Tunguny or

The Warrenton Bonner editorially "Mexico Ledger boosts a fine high school, and we envy their postto boost. The two seniors from the Domestic Science Department, will make their own graduating M. W. OF A. HEADS cowns. A girl who is graduated from a school where she receives not only the usual educational training, but a a much more useful member of soci

in Jonesboro, Ark. We regret to elections held in Fabruary have

Stock judging was the subject dis-cussed among the boys and girls last. From the interest that is be their son who has been a patient at

come Capt, N. Dix, at the Hospital, con-tinues about the same.

J. P. Hildebrand, an old Mexico boy now traveling for an Adding Ma-

too. Look at the snake fight the her home on account of a fall she re-RATES.

10 bars Lenox soap.....

6 bars 5c Ivory soap

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COUNTY NEWS too's most talented vocalists and concert singers, will give a concert at the McMillan High School Auditorium, Tuesday evening, March 24, under the anapices of the High School.

where he has a responsible position with the Alton.

Thomas Cropper, Democratic nominee for City Assessment united with the Christian Church Sunday.

W. R. Kohr has accepted the presidency of the University chhoil for boys in Chicago, Ill. This is the highest priced school west of New York and one of the leading educational institutions in Chicago. Mr. Kohr is an experienced school man and executive and will make good in his new position. The Leduced In the second in the leading colors are the school man and executive and will make good in his new position. The Leduced In the second in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping that a log fight is being a shoot to close the school man and executive and will make good in his new position. The Leduced In the second in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping in the cautral mississipping in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping in the cautral mississipping in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping in the cautral mississipping in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping in the cautral mississipping in the pariors of the Cautral Mississipping in the cautral mississipping in the man our thanks for late and the second in the man and a backerfield, California, newspacter of the man and a backerfield, California, newspacter of the man and a lake it a big fight to be a subscission and houses of the leading education in the late of the man and and executive and with the chiral man and executive and will make the parior of the Rakerfield, California, newspacter of the cautral is being and the man and th

Hotel at Los Angeles, Call, writes that his health is much improved.

The other dates are: Griggoville, Ill., starts July 21; Columbis, Mostarts July 28; Sturgeon starts Aug. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Craddock and 4; Mexico starts August 11; Bow Miss isabelle have gone to Chicago ing Green starts August 18; Carroll for a short visit. Mrs. Nancy Smith, mother of Ex September 1.

County Judge Smith, is ill of pneumoula at the Mexico Hospital.

Chicken Feed.

Lincoln, Neb., March 10. so the knowledge to make her own Modern Woodmen of America, in a shall starting August 18. "The head office has received

Mrs. Homer Marshall will leave ports in sufficient delail from the circuit and W. F. next Wednesday for her new home in Jonesboro, Ark. We regret to auve Mrs. Marshali leave Mexico, suited in an indersement of the sailed in an indersement of the administration and indicate the re-J. A. Guthrie, jr., who is in Secret election of the present head offithe Hospital, is now at the home of rate increase question should be left want to buy or sell anything. schools are to have pupils entered in Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Straw of Con-a stock judging contest at Laddonia. train, have returned home with

Oak I may say that the girls are going Willis was much pleased with the have received word that she was Eim to be disappointed unless the Home substantial improvements made in married in Yuma, Arizona, to D. B. All girls wanting to join the Girl's Mrs. Dorrance, mother-in-iaw of fornia and a brother of Mrs. C. W. tile for silos as well an general build- the Mexico Message.

Canning Clubs should send me their Cortex Edmonston, is very ill of Stream of this city.

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against vice of all kinds which prom-representatives of the Central Misines to be successful.

E. D. Graham, who is nicely dom-rided upon dates.

Starting with Griggwille will mak me of the best speed animals of Emith Bros. have the best grade the Pinois circuits.

The dates of the Grand Western as follows: Moberly starting July ARE ENDORSED. 21, Chillicothe starting July Brookfield starting Aug. 4.

Dr. A. R. McComas, of Sturgeon, is has been ill for some months re- president of the Missouri Short Ship the end was not entirely unexpected. the circuit and W. F. Atkinson of this The funeral was Wednesday after

nial Club, and wishing them 81 years, 11 mc all the success that it is possible to of age. She leaves the following talking to farmers that most of Larkin, Oakland, Call., and One of the Western railroads is su-than wood, some that have wooden in extending sympathy. ones intend to erect others. Has the

> sell 100 silos of that kind in the next two years, at, say, \$150 each, and see the money left in Mexico. I find by inquiring that none are manufactured close to us, which means of her death. Instared close to us, which means long freight hands.

esults and thanking you for your no, March 4/ He had suffered fro time, with best wishes for your suc-

J. G. Waggoner,

SEED CORN WANTED

From Monday's St. Louis Republic). to the Editor of the Republic. You ask in your valued paper restorday the question, "What is the sacret of President Woodrow Wilson's power to bring things to pass?"

Albert Payton, Stanley Wilson, Thoms as Botts, Reinhart Rosenthal, Joseph Botts and John Elliptt, X. In the first place, he is an honest man with ability and determina tion to do what he believes will resuit for the best interest of the whole people. With the above, one word answers your question, "Tact." WILLIAM POLLOCK.

Mexico, Mo., March 5, All the latest novelties in Spring Dress Goods, cotton, wool and Slik, at Polsson's Dry Goods Store.

ting relatives at Vandalia.

HARDIN ALUMNAE MEETS. The Hardin College Alumnae held mass meeting in the parlors of the Ringo Hotel, Tuesday afternoon, and decided to hold a get-togethe neeting at the school shortly he purpose of discussing the proed new building. The pageant and masque to be given in May was also

different qualities, Axminster and Velvels, at Poisson's Dry Goods store

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...DEATHS..

28 been 25 years old on the 13th Head Consul A. R. Talbot of the City starting August 11 and Mar at her home on South Jefferson St., from a complication of diseases. She noon at 3:30 from the home by the Rev. S. W. Hayne. The body was taken to Farmer City, Ill., for in-

Miss Crosby was a lovely character, an accomplished musician and tary of State Roach's office in Jefferson City, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Sam Scott, who has been it
the Hospital, is now at the home of sisters, Florence and Ethel, survive. Miss Crosby was born in Farmer City where she had many friends. The Ledger joins in extending sym pathy to the bereaved.

> Mrs. Elizabeth Glover, aged 88, wiow of the late Berrey Glover, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Artie Mudd at Martinsburg Sunday. Mrs. Glover was an aunt of E. R. Taft, of this city. The interment took place at Vandalia.

Eigin L. Beal, 55 years old, roken Bow, Neb., died at a hospital in Omaha, Tuesday night, after a seri ous operation. Mr. Beal was a na-The Mexico Fire Brick & Clay Co. tive of Audrain county and a brother

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Joins in extending best wishes and the public in general toward permajoins in extending best wishes and the public in seneral toward permaioins in extending best wishes and the public in next soils.

Ledger joins other friends in this County, who
congratulations.

> I read with interest matters that Mrs. Alma C. Salters, of Oxford, attain, I offer a suggestion, if it has children: E. H. Larkin and Mrs. not been considered before. I find in Chas. Harvey, Detroit, Mich., R. W. them who are contemplating siles Larkin of this city. The latter will want something more permanent attend the funeral. The Ledger joins Mrs. Elmina Glynn, agod 98 years,

> Brick Co. the proper material for making the hollow blocks? If so, it looks to me as though it is putting it mild that they should be able to sell 100 silos of that kind in the ber, Mo, Monday March 8. Mrs. Ralph Harvey Powell, son of Mr

Hoping this suggestion may bring and Mrs. H. T. Powel, died at Molidiabetes more than a year. He became ill at school shortly before Christmas, 1912, and gradually grew worse. During all that time he was deprived of the usual things that a growing boy delights in-palatable food, boyish sports, companionship life that make life desirable. The ab-

sence of these in his life was pathet-A large congregation gathered at the funeral to testify their affection to the boy and his parents and sleter. After the funeral ser vices, the body was laid to rest by the side of that of his little sister, Mattle, in the cemetery adjacent SECRET OF PRESIDENT'S POWER to the church. The bearers were former companions.

of nearly Ralph's age. They of Albert Paylon, Stanley Wilson, Thom-

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